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Office Action Summary

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Applicant(s)

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Examiner

D. Margaret Seaman

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Period for Reply

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Status

- 1) ☒ Responsive to communication(s) filed on 12 January 2005.
- 2a) ☐ This action is **FINAL**. 2b) ☒ This action is non-final.
- 3) ☐ Since this application is in condition for allowance except for formal matters, prosecution as to the merits is closed in accordance with the practice under *Ex parte Quayle*, 1935 C.D. 11, 453 O.G. 213.

Disposition of Claims

- 4) ☒ Claim(s) 1 and 4-13 is/are pending in the application.
- 4a) Of the above claim(s) 13 is/are withdrawn from consideration.
- 5) ☐ Claim(s) _____ is/are allowed.
- 6) ☒ Claim(s) 1, 4-9 and 12 is/are rejected.
- 7) ☒ Claim(s) 10 and 11 is/are objected to.
- 8) ☐ Claim(s) _____ are subject to restriction and/or election requirement.

Application Papers

- 9) ☐ The specification is objected to by the Examiner.
- 10) ☐ The drawing(s) filed on _____ is/are: a) ☐ accepted or b) ☐ objected to by the Examiner.
- Applicant may not request that any objection to the drawing(s) be held in abeyance. See 37 CFR 1.85(a).
- Replacement drawing sheet(s) including the correction is required if the drawing(s) is objected to. See 37 CFR 1.121(d).
- 11) ☐ The oath or declaration is objected to by the Examiner. Note the attached Office Action or form PTO-152.

Priority under 35 U.S.C. § 119

- 12) ☐ Acknowledgment is made of a claim for foreign priority under 35 U.S.C. § 119(a)-(d) or (f).
- a) ☐ All b) ☐ Some * c) ☐ None of:
1. ☐ Certified copies of the priority documents have been received.
2. ☐ Certified copies of the priority documents have been received in Application No. _____.
3. ☐ Copies of the certified copies of the priority documents have been received in this National Stage application from the International Bureau (PCT Rule 17.2(a)).
- * See the attached detailed Office action for a list of the certified copies not received.

Attachment(s)

- 1) ☐ Notice of References Cited (PTO-892)
- 2) ☐ Notice of Draftsperson's Patent Drawing Review (PTO-948)
- 3) ☐ Information Disclosure Statement(s) (PTO-1449 or PTO/SB/08)
Paper No(s)/Mail Date _____.
- 4) ☐ Interview Summary (PTO-413)
Paper No(s)/Mail Date _____.
- 5) ☐ Notice of Informal Patent Application (PTO-152)
- 6) ☐ Other: _____.

DETAILED ACTION

This application was filed 12 March 2004 and claims benefit of Provisional Application 60/464,058 (4/18/2003). Claims 2 and 3 have been canceled by paper dated 1/12/2005. Claim 13 remains withdrawn due to a restriction requirement of paper dated 9/14/2004. Claims 1 and 4-12 are before the Examiner.

1. The rejections stated in paper dated 9/14/2004, are withdrawn due to applicant's arguments in paper dated 1/12/2005.

Response to Amendment

2. Claims 1, 4-9 and 12 are rejected under 35 U.S.C. 112, first paragraph, as failing to comply with the written description requirement. The claim(s) contains subject matter which was not described in the specification in such a way as to reasonably convey to one skilled in the relevant art that the inventor(s), at the time the application was filed, had possession of the claimed invention. The amendments to R2 and R3, specifically

R¹ is allyloxy, benzyloxy, or (pyridinyl)methoxy where benzyloxy and (pyridinyl)methoxy are substituted with 0-2 substituents selected from the group consisting of halo and C₁₋₄alkoxy.

R¹ is allyloxy, (pyridinyl)methoxy, (3,5-dichloropyridinyl)methoxy, (2-methylthiazolyl)methoxy, phenyl, or 2-methoxyphenyl; or

R¹ is benzyloxy substituted with 0-2 substituents selected from the group consisting of halo, C₁₋₄alkyl, C₁₋₄alkoxy, cyano, carbomethoxy, acetoxy, and nitro;

add in new matter that is not encompassed by the original claims or specification. The support of the examples (59-65 for R2 and Examples 1-8, 11, 22-36 and 48-49 for R3) does not support the entire scope of wherein the other moieties of claim 1 are not as specifically made in the examples. This scope is new matter. Due to this, the amendment to R2 and R3 is new matter.


Claim Objections

3. Claims 10 and 11 are objected to as being dependent from a rejected base claim.

4. Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to D. Margaret Seaman whose telephone number is 571-272-0694. The examiner can normally be reached on 630am-4pm, First Friday Off.

If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's supervisor, Cecelia Tsang can be reached on 571-272-0562. The fax phone number for the organization where this application or proceeding is assigned is 703-872-9306.

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